

Appendix O

Officer Communities and Designators List

1. General Categories. Billet and officer designator codes are grouped in general categories as follows:

a. Unrestricted Line. Officers of the line of the Regular Navy and Naval Reserve who are not restricted in the performance of duty.

b. Restricted Line. Officers of the line of the Regular Navy and Naval Reserve who are restricted in the performance of duty by having been designated for aviation duty, engineering duty, aerospace engineering duty, or special duty.

c. Staff Corps. Officer of all staff corps of the Regular Navy and Naval Reserve. There are five staff corps programs available through this program.

d. Limited Duty Officer - Line. Officers of the line of the Regular Navy and Naval Reserve appointed for the performance of duty in the broad occupational fields indicated by their former warrant designators or enlisted rating groups.

e. Limited Duty Officer - Staff. Officers of the staff of the Regular Navy and Naval Reserve appointed for the performance of duty in the broad occupational fields indicated by their warrant designators or enlisted rating groups.

f. Chief Warrant Officer - Line. Officers of the line of the Regular Navy and Naval Reserve appointed to chief warrant officer for the performance of duty in the technical fields indicated by former enlisted rating groups.

g. Chief Warrant Officer - Staff. Officers of the staff of the Regular Navy and Naval Reserve appointed to chief warrant officer for the performance of duty in the technical fields indicated by former enlisted rating groups.

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2. The list below highlights the general categories and designator codes for each community, including Training Codes indicated by (T).

UNRESTRICTED LINE (URL)

Surface Warfare Community	Convention and Nuclear Designator: 111X, 116X (SWO-T)
Aviation Community	Pilots, Flight Officers (NFO) and Aviation Support Personnel Designators: 131X (Pilot), 132X (C\NFO), 130X (Aviation Support), 139X (Pilot-T), 137X (NFO-T)
Submarine Community	All nuclear, no diesels Remaining in the US inventory Designator: 112X, 117X (SUB-T)
Special Warfare Community	Seals Designator: 113X, 118X (SPEC WAR-T)
Special Operations Community	Divers, Explosive Ordnance Disposal Personnel Designator: 114X, 119X (SPEC OPS-T)

RESTRICTED LINE (RL)

Aerospace Engineering Duty	Specialists in aviation Maintenance Officer (Aviation Maintenance) Designator: Maintenance 152X
Cryptologist	Specialists in cryptographic support, intelligence, automatic data processing (ADP) Designator: 161X

Intelligence	Specialists in intelligence gathering, language, and dissemination Designator: 163X
Public Affairs	Specialists in journalism and public relations/liaison Designator: 165X
Oceanography	Specialists in marine and environmental sciences Designator: 180X
STAFF CORPS	
Medical Service Corps	Health Care Administrators, Health Science and Clinical Specialists Designator: 2305
Nurse Corps	Specialists in Navy and related fields Designator: 290X
Supply Corps	Comptrollers, Finance Directors Designator: 310X
Chaplain Corps	Navy chaplains Designator: 410X
Civil Engineer Corps	Construction, logistics Designator: 510X

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LIMITED DUTY OFFICERS and CHIEF WARRANT OFFICERS

All members are prior senior enlisted with extensive experience and technical expertise. See Chapter 14 (Addendum 1 for normal path to LDO/CWO commission).

LDOs	Designators: 61XX, 62XX, 63XX, 64XX, 65XX
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CWOs	Designators: 71XX, 72XX, 73XX, 74XX, 75XX
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